

H. R. 487.

[Report No 89.]

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MARCH 3, 1851.

Read twice, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House, to-morrow.

Mr. SPRAGUE, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported
the following bill :

A BILL

For the relief of Mary Ann Williams.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*
2 *sentatives of the United States of America in Congress*
3 *assembled,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is here-
4 by, authorized to pay to Mary Ann Williams, the widow
5 of Cahnawaga, a chief of the St. Regis Indians, the value
6 of six rations per day from the time the military post at
7 Plattsburg, in the State of New York, was abandoned, to
8 the passage of this act ; and also the sum of
9 in full for the services rendered to the United
10 States by the said Cahnawaga subsequent to the year
11 eighteen hundred and twelve, and during the war with
12 Great Britain, and for his losses of property in Canada in

13 consequence of said services, and his being compelled to
14 abandon his possessions and remove with his family to the
15 United States, which said sums are hereby appropriated
16 out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appro-
17 priated.